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SPENCER, BUCKNER, AND ARISS.

The genealogical information given in the letter from John Ariss (not Avis, as printed), on page 222 of the October number, may be supplemented from the Westmoreland records. An account of the Spencers of Cople, in England, and of Hon. Nicholas Spencer, Secretary of State of Virginia, has been given in this Magazine. Some additional data as to the Spencers are included in the following notes: (1) Power of attorney, Westmoreland, May 14, 1698, from Nicholas Spencer, of Nominy, Westmoreland, Esq., son of Nicholas Spencer, Esq., and about to go to England, to Willoughby Allerton, to act as his attorney in his private affairs, and also as Collector of Potomac District, an office to which said Spencer was appointed November 21, 1696. (2) Deed, Westmoreland, April, 1702, from John Spencer, conveying land left him by his father, Nicholas Spencer, Esq. (3) Deed, August 19, 1709, from Nicholas Spencer, of Cople, in the county of Bedford, England, Esq., to Hon. Robert Carter, conveying several tracts of land at the head of Nominy River, in Westmoreland, containing about 6,000 acres, which was heretofore purchased by Nicholas Spencer, Esq., late of Nominy, deceased, father to the said Nicholas Spencer, and by his will, dated April 25, 1688, and recorded in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, was devised to the said Nicholas, the son. The price paid by Carter was £800. (In February, 1708, Robert Carter also bought 2,430 acres adjoining from William Manley.) (4) Will of John Spencer, of Nominy, Westmoreland, gent., dated June 21 and proved August 25, 1708; legatees: Joseph Taylor, 200 acres; son Nicholas Spencer, 350 acres; daughter Frances, the remainder of that dividend of land; wife Mary. (5) Northumberland county, December 20, 1706, suit by Daniel McCarty, attorney of Frances Spencer, orphan of Hon. Nicholas Spencer, in which it was stated that Madam Frances Spencer, at her death, gave to her daughter, Frances, a pearl necklace valued at £80, and gave it to Madam Mary Hack, wife of Peter Hack, gentleman, to keep until said Frances was of age; said Madam Spencer and Madam Hack are now dead, and said Frances Spencer is of age, and it is conceived that said necklace is in the hands of Peter Hack, who owning the same, delivered as above stated, the Court ordered him to deliver it to said Frances. (This was probably a friendly suit to enable Peter Hack to have legal authority to deliver the necklace.) (6) Deed, Westmoreland, February 8, 1726, from John Ariss and Frances, his wife, daughter and sole heiress of John Spencer, late of Cople parish, Westmoreland, deceased. (7) Will of Spencer Ariss, dated November 23, 1760, proved, Westmoreland, July 28, 1761; legatees: wife Sarah, daughter Elizabeth Ariss, brother John Ariss, nephew John Ariss Gallis, sister Sorrell. Wife Sarah, brother John Ariss and friends William Booth and John Washington executors. (8) Deed, Westmoreland, September 4, 1762, from John Ariss, builder, of Rich-

mond county, and Elizabeth, his wife. (9) Deed, Westmoreland, December 6, 1792, between Richard Buckner and Elizabeth, his wife, and Sarah Pierce, of Westmoreland, of the first part, James Elliott, of the second part, and Ariss Buckner, son of said Richard and Elizabeth, and grandson of said Sarah Pierce, of the third part, conveying to James Elliott, in trust for Ariss Buckner, 681 acres on Nominy Bay, where said Richard Buckner lives and in which Sarah Pierce holds dower. (10) Deed, 1793, from Elizabeth Buckner, reciting that Sarah Pierce is entitled to certain slaves as dower in the estate of her former husband, Spencer Ariss, and that said Elizabeth Buckner, as heir-at-law of said Spencer Ariss, is entitled to said slaves, after the death of said Sarah Pierce, and now conveys her reversionary right to Thomas Roy Miller. (11) Will of Richard Buckner, of Westmoreland, directs that a double tombstone, "with an humble inscription," be erected over himself and his wife. His brother Francis Buckner's estate shall not be liable for their father's debts to Robert Giterest, as sufficient property was left in the hands of said Richard Buckner (the testator) to pay them; gives his son, Ariss, four slaves on the death of his grandmother; grandson James Richard Miller, granddaughter Lucy Roy Miller; all other estate to wife Elizabeth. (12) Marriage settlement between Ariss Buckner and the daughter of Bernard Hooe.

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THE TRABUE FAMILY.

(Additions and Corrections.)

The following is to be added to the Trabue genealogy in the "Huguenot Emigration," Vol. V, *Virginia Historical Collections*:

STEPHEN TRABUE—JANE HASKINS, EDWARD TRABUE—MARY ROGERS.

Stephen Trabue married Jane Haskins, July 24, 1788. Issue: William T., Chastain Haskins, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Edward, Francis.

In *Huguenot Emigration to America*, page 168, Edward Trabue, born November 1, 1798, in Logan county, Ky.; died June 13, 1863, near Nashville, Tenn. He married, February 27, 1827, Mary Shirley Rogers, born November 10, 1811; died September 12, 1841. Issue:

1. Edmund Rogers Trabue, born June 11, 1829; died February, 1849.
2. Mary Jane Trabue, born January 16, 1832; died August 16, 1853. Married Lucien Walsh, February 22, 1852.

3. Ellen Camille Trabue, born January 8, 1834; married Horace H. Harrison. Living at Nashville, Tenn.

4. Andrew E. Trabue, born April 29, 1837; died April 29, 1892. Married, January 18, 1858, Anne Smith, born July 25, 1840. Living at Nashville, Tenn. Issue:

1. Edward Trabue, born October 28, 1858; 2. Ralph Phillip Trabue, born June 24, 1860; married Lily Thomas, October 25, 1893; 3. Olymph